

**TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE**



**FISCAL NOTE**

**HB 1297 - SB 1655**

March 18, 2011

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Requires all members of the local board of education to possess a bachelor's degree and to reside in the county. Requires individuals seeking to qualify as candidates for election to file proof of their degree with the county election commission. Board members serving prior to July 1, 2011, shall continue to serve in their capacity and are authorized to seek re-election or re-appointment for one additional term

**ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:**

**NOT SIGNIFICANT**

Assumptions:

- County election commissions will not require any additional resources or personnel to accept proof of degree.
- Currently serving board members will retain their seat, no special elections or interim appointments will be made.

**CERTIFICATION:**

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, reading "James W. White".

James W. White, Executive Director

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